

McDougall & Secord's Store News.

The Store of the Town.

To our patrons we wish all the happiness and health which is supposed to abound plentifully at this particular season of the year. In other words:

A MERRY XMAS TO ALL.

Loose no Time in Calling but take Your Time in Buying.

This week's presentation of our Store News includes the details of a magnificent lot of Russian Sable Furs, which we are able to offer you at the lowest possible price. The rare beauty and serviceableness of Russian Sable are too well known to require any specially worded tribute of praise on this occasion, but it is right for us to say, though, that lovers of sumptuous furs will find the offering a rarely beautiful collection of Scarfs and Muffs. The garments have been made up this season and consequently represent the newest and smartest styles. Some buyers may not care to have their purchase delivered just now,—in such cases arrangements can be made to have the choice laid aside until near Christmas,

Beautiful Russian Sable Scarfs, smart stylish shape, finished with beads and braid. \$75.00

Handsome Scarfs, long Trimby effect. \$75.00
Handsome Russian Sable Muffs, full shape. \$75.00

HOLIDAY HANDKERCHIEFS

Our stock of Xmas Handkerchiefs is now complete. Our showing far surpasses in extent, variety and completeness any stock we ever assembled. Handkerchiefs to meet the diverse requirements of all conditions and classes, at prices to suit any purse. Select now, for, with the holiday trade in full swing, even our enormous stock will soon be broken.

Our leading lines and their prices:

Fancy lawn handkerchiefs, a good fine material, one-half and one inch hem, regular 5c, For Xmas trade 7 for 25c.
Fancy initial and Xmas greeting handkerchiefs, hem stitched, regular 5c, For Xmas trade 3 for 25c.
Plain hem stitched handkerchiefs, pure linen, one-half, three-quarter and one inch hem. For Xmas trade 2 for 25c.
Children's picture handkerchiefs. 2 for 5c and 5c.

Plain linen handkerchiefs, 1, 1 1/2 and 1 3/4 inch hems, fine pure line, regular 20c and 25c. For Xmas trade 2 for 35c.
Initial linen handkerchiefs, hem stitched. For Xmas trade 25c or \$2.25 doz.
Fancy and embroidered Irish linen handkerchiefs, a beautiful range of 40 dozen, ranging in price from 30c to \$1.75.
Fancy silk handkerchiefs, silk lace and embroidered edges, hand drawn. 75c to \$1.50.

SILK WAISTS

We take some natural pride in telling you about our Silk Waists. We have often been complimented by satisfied buyers upon the good taste and refined style displayed in them. They are really worth far more than we ask, but as we have some special advantages in the matter of buying them we give the benefit to you. Our designs follow closely all the newest Parisian and American fashions, and you may rest assured you are wearing the newest and most correct style.

Here are three favorites:

Ladies Tafeta Silk Waists—Colors, White, Black, Blue, Red, Green, and all shades, tucked back and front, \$5.00

Ladies Tafeta Silk Waists—All shades, and made of a good heavy silk, tucked back and front, \$6.00

Ladies' Tafeta Silk Waists—All shades, fancy silk trimming, and tucked, \$7.50

OUR HOLIDAY RIBBONS.

Without any tinge of exaggeration we can say that to-day we have the finest assortment of Ribbons in the history of the store. We cannot show you samples of all the ribbons manufactured, 'tis true, but we can show you the CREAM OF ALL the ribbons manufactured. Nothing that good taste desires is lacking, and you'll find moreover that the conspicuous feature of our Ribbons is moderation in prices. Our Ribbons are "well bought" to use a trade term.

Tafeta Silk Ribbons, 4 inches wide, suitable for neck or girdle, all colors, white cream, black, yellow, pink, blue, turquoise, old rose, red and cardinal, 25c and 30c

Tafeta Silk Ribbon, 7 inches wide, 75c

Duchess Ribbon, 4 inches wide, in all colors, 40c

Shot effects in Ribbons, silver and black, a very handsome ribbon, for neck and girdle, 50c

Fancy Ribbons in striped or flowered, 4 inches wide, very new, 50c

More Tafeta Silk Ribbons, 3 1/2 inches wide, in colors white, cream, black, pale blue, Mexican blue, turquoise, blue and pale green, 25c

A SALE OF CHATELAINES

We want to make way for our exclusively Christmas goods, and Monday we clear away a host of Chatelaines and Purses at reduced prices. There is a semi-Christmas character about Chatelaines, too, and those who think this sale might fit in with their ideas should make sure and attend Monday.

Ladies' handsome Chatelaines, in leather and chain. These make a handsome as well as a useful purse.

Regular, \$2.25, \$2.50.
Special Sale price, \$2.00.

Children's handsome Chatelaine bags, made of fine chain and stamped white metal. A dainty little present for child.

Regular, \$1.25, \$1.50.
Special Sale price, \$1.00.

Ladies' Dressing Gowns.

The prettiest creations imaginable; we have Japanese and China silks in all shades. Our stock of ladies' dressing gowns is just as large as we have your inspection.

Ladies' fine Japanese silk dressing gowns, flowered fronts worked in colored silk, silk cord or girdle, all sizes. Price \$10.00.

Ladies' China silk dressing gowns, in red, blue and other shades, silk flowered fronts, all sizes. Price \$7.50.

MEN'S HANDKERCHIEFS

Superlative adjectives fail when it comes to describing our Christmas Handkerchiefs for Men. They will probably fail you when you see them. The price range is easily graded from the lowest to the most luxurious. Our collections are satisfying, comprehensive, and in many cases exclusive. Yet our prices are the lowest you'll find anywhere.

Men's Linen Handkerchiefs, in hem-stitched or plain. 20c or 3 for 50c.

Men's Silk Handkerchiefs, in plain and initial, hem-stitched 25c and 35c.

Men's Silk Handkerchiefs, plain or initial. 50c and 60c.

Men's heavy Silk Handkerchiefs, a large, thick silk. 70c and 80c.

A special line of colored Silk Handkerchiefs, new, bright, and fancy colors, 75c.

Men's Dressing Gowns and Smoking Jackets.

Here is where you can make some smoker happy by buying him a smoking jacket or dressing gown. Both warm and comfortable, a saving to clothes as well. We pride ourselves in having better value this year than ever before.

Men's wool dressing gowns, plain, warm material, all sizes. Price \$11.00.

Men's wool gowns, silk trimming, all sizes. Price \$16.50.

Men's smoking jackets, wool, plaid lining and cuff, dark and light colors. Price \$7.50.

Men's Japanese silk smoking jackets, red & blue colors, all sizes. Price \$6.00 and \$6.50.

IN THE MEN'S DEPARTMENT.

Don't forget that a nice Smoking Jacket, House Coat, Dressing Gown, or even a Tie is an acceptable present for the man. We are showing everything in men's wear the season's style can offer, and the buyers are highly satisfied with their purchases.

MEN'S SUITS

Pure Worsted and Serge Suits (Piccadilly brand) the finest goods obtainable made in single and double breasted styles, blues and blacks.

Prices, \$11, 12, 13.50, 15, 18, 20.

Men's Tweed suits imported and domestic cloths, Italian and silk trimmings, single and double breasted.

Prices, \$6, 8, 10, 12, 14, 15, 16, 17.

Men's Dress Suits: made of fine broadcloth and lama cloths, silk lined throughout, with white satin interlinings, silk faced lapels.

Price, \$25 and \$35.

Men's Overcoats, Chesterfield, Grosvener, Raglanette and our Piccadilly brand. These are the leading styles for winter.

Prices, from \$6.50 to \$20.

BOYS' CLOTHING

Boy's suits, Brownie styles, coat, vest and trousers, in serge, tweed and fancy worsteds.

Prices \$2 to \$6.50.

Boy's 2-piece suits, coat and trousers, Norfolk and Lenoxx styles, tweeds, serges, worsteds and fancy worsteds.

Prices \$2.00 to \$3.50.

Boy's 3-piece suits and Youtine long pants suits, in tweeds, serge and worsteds, single and double breasted.

Prices \$3 to \$18.

Boy's Reefers, in frieze, beaver and melton cloths, sizes to fit a boy of 3 to a boy of 16 years.

Prices \$2.50 to \$7.50.

Boy's Overcoats and Ulsters, in frieze and beaver, single and double breasted. Prices \$3.50 to \$7.

MEN'S FURNISHINGS

A "Stunning" Sale of Stunning Neckwear. Folks who follow the fashion favor the Ascot tie this season. You'll perhaps see here more different kinds of cravats, more different shapes, and more different grades, in more different combinations and colors. And while the Ascot holds first place in the hearts of fashionable dressers, you'll also find other shapes here—that you should find, and at prices you'll be willing to pay.

PAJAMAS.

The comfortable, sensible, now almost universal sleeping garments for men. We have them in all sizes.

XMAS TIES AND HANDKERCHIEFS A SPECIALTY WITH US.

From now till New Year we are making some special prices on CONFECTIONERY.

It will pay you to buy what you need from us.

For Variety and Excellence we are sure to please you.

These last few days are what count to you and to us. By watching our advertisements you can save yourself Time, Money, and best of all—Worry.

How? Just this way

I. By getting some of our nice clean Rainies. See them in our window.

II. By using our Currants, "Ready for use."

III. By getting a few packages of our Mince Meat.

IV. By buying our Mixed Peel in 1lb. boxes.

V. And don't forget Fancy Rainies; Nuts, shelled or unshelled, Package Jelly.

These are 2061 other things. We are fully prepared, so you'll not be disappointed when you bring us your grocery orders.

China and Glassware.

Do you want to be one of those who come too late to get their choice from our beautiful stock of Fancy Christmas China.

Of course you don't. Well, come at once and you are sure of a much better variety of articles from which to select your presents than if you leave it off for even a day.

SO MANY OF OUR CUSTOMERS tell their friends about what we have in China and Xmas Novelties that we even sell from "hearsay." This list may help you. Read it over:

Fancy Cups and Saucers from 10c to \$4 each.

Fancy Plates

Berry Sets

Fruit dishes

Teapots

Chocolate Pots

Bon Bon Dishes

Marmalade Jars

Cream and Sugar Sets

Five O'Clock Tea Sets

Handkerchief, Cuff,

Collar or Glove Boxes

Fruit Plates

And hundreds of other things

you can see if you come in for a ten or fifteen minute look.

See our range of famous

Peterson Pipes and others

Just the kind for Xmas.

Vases—A great variety, nice new designs

Jardiniere—There are lots of nice ones yet.

They make acceptable presents.

Tobacco Jars

Japanese Trays

Ash Trays

Wedge wood

A line of Triple and Quadruple

Plate Silver Ware

We are now offering at half

price. Only few pieces left

Sugar and Creams

Biscuit Bowls

Pickle Dishes

Fancy Fruit Stands

Etc. Etc.

Don't Miss this Snap.

McDOUGALL & SECORD. Edmonton.

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL
PHONE 76

ER AVENUE. Opposite Post Office

Snaps!

- 1 Ladies' coat, black, 34 in. bu., 24 in. long, worth \$12.00 for - \$8.00.
- 1 Ladies' skirt, 29 1/2 waist, black, 40 in. length, worth \$13.25, for - 9.00.
- 1 Cheviot Suit, 40 in. breast, for man \$11.00, worth \$13.50, for - 10.00.
- 1 Striped Suit, 41 in. breast, for man \$11.00, worth \$15.50, for - 8.50.

All thoroughly tailored.

R. HOOKLEY,
Opposite Merchants Bank.

Edmonton Dye Works And Carding Mill

Cleaning, Carding and Dyeing Wool
for Farmers and others done in first
class manner.

F. MAYERHOFFER.

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MACHINE SHOP. AND FOUNDRY.

Having one of the best equipped shops
in the West I am prepared to do all
BOILER, ENGINE, MACHINE WORK
ON SHORTEST NOTICE.

Foundry work promptly attended to.

W. A. BREWSTER.

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Cash on delivery

W. J. BALDWIN

Orders left at MacKenzie's Broker

BREAD. CAKES. PASTRY.

Wedding and Birthday Cakes
A SPECIALTY.

Hallier & Aldridge,
Bakers and Confectioners.

Dry Stove Wood

FOR SALE AT

Walter's Mill

NEW DAILY BUS

BETWEEN
EDMONTON AND TRATONCA.

Calls for Passengers' Baggage and Par-
cels promptly attended to. Orders left at
A. W. Douglas' Book Store. Phone 120.
Bus starts from Telegraph office
N. LORRICK, Proprietor.

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Agent for United & Merchants Safe, Newcomb
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OPTICIAN

S. NANKIN. GRADUATE OPTICIAN
Of the Canadian Ophthalmic College. The most
difficult cases of defective vision properly corrected
and good sight secured.

HORSE HILLS

Excellent weather prevails. The
high winds of this week, drifted the
rivers up badly, but they are again in
fair condition.

Chas. Gorbard and Walter Handy
came down on Monday first at Fraser's
camp to spend the holidays at home.

The "Halfway Hotel" has erected a
building on the corner of C. Chablers
property, to be used as a stopping
place for the numerous trading Gal-
icians that are constantly passing.

Mr. McLeay is now putting the new
wind mill, which he erected lately, to
practical use. Although the tower is of
wood there is no doubt but that it will
withstand the light puff of wind
which prevail in this country. The
crushing attachment is working per-
fectly, and with it Mr. McLeay crushes
grain for all his stock.

A surprise party was held at Mr. E.
Coloy's on Christmas night. A large
gathering was present, and excellent
music was furnished by the glee club,
in charge of Freds. Milne and Jerry
Messers. F. Goghlan and W. Handy
were floor managers, and deserved
much credit for the prompt attention
during the evening, and a very enjoy-
able time was spent.

A concert and social was held in the
Horse Hills school house last evening.
Full advantage was taken of the fine
night, and there was a large attend-
ance. The building was crowded
so that there was standing room only.
Rev. Brooks presided. The programme,
which consisted of two acts, was very
well rendered. Quite a number of peo-
ple from Edmonton, also from the sur-
rounding country attended. Prof.
Jones, of Fort Saskatchewan, was pres-
ent and played the piano accompaniment,
which were much appreciated. As
was particularly a school concert, the
school children filled the greatest part
of the programme, which was as fol-
lows: First part, instrumental, "Prof. Jones"
recitation, "Lillian Skillington," by
Allan Wall, Annie Malone solo, by Mr.
D. Shilleto, recitation, "Angie Clark"
dialogue, "Tribute of a school teacher,"
by Annie Malone and a number
of the school children; recita-
tion, "Irene Malone," solo, Rev.
Brooks. The "Little Hero," recita-
tion, A. Lehman, recitation, "E. Hol-
Moit," recitation, Spruce Lehman, dia-
logue, "Horse and Husband," by Rev.
Spryng and Mrs. J. Bell, recitation,
John Lehman, intermission, refresh-
ments. Second part, Violin solo, Prof.
Jones, recitation, "The Starling on the
house," "Advertising for a servant," by
Mr. and Mrs. Archie Clark, Miss H.
Wall and Misses Dolly and E. Clark;
recitation, Mr. Johnson, recitation,
Louise Wilson; recitation, Cliff Wall;
duet, "Misses Jones and J. Bell,"
duet, "The Old Man and the Sea,"
by Rev. Spryng and Mrs. J. Bell.
A vote of thanks, to Rev. Brooks and
Prof. Jones, were hereafter responded to,
then the gathering broke up to sing the
song, "God Save the King."

Dec. 27th, '02.

THE MARKET

Wheat holds firm at from 55 to 78
cents per bushel with as high as 60
cents for an odd lot of extra grade.
The deliveries are fairly heavy.

Oats are coming in very slowly.
Prices are quoted from 19 to 22 cents
per bushel.

Beef is in good demand. Prices are
a little stronger being quoted at 3
cents per lb. live.

Hogs are also in good demand, but
the quality is graded closer. Prices
run from 41-2 to 5 cents per lb. live.

Poultry is brisk. Prices for dressed
fowl are:

Turkeys, 121-2 cents per lb.
Geese, 10 cents per lb.
Ducks, 10 cents per lb.

Chickens, 8 cents per lb.
Butter is quoted from 15 to 20 cents
per lb. and is in good demand.

Fresh eggs are still very scarce, and
will bring 35 cents a dozen.

Hay has been sold in large quanti-
ties the past week, but the price
remains firm at from \$5 to \$6 per ton.

New Station in Winnipeg

Montreal, Dec. 21.—The Canadian
Pacific has decided to build a new
station at Winnipeg, commensurate
with the importance of the city, and
an announcement is expected in the
near future.

Nelson News: A snow plow was
started to work yesterday by the city
engineer, for the purpose of widening
the available walking space on the new
streets. The apparatus worked fairly
well, but going along it sidewalk
which was elevated about ten feet
above the roadway it upset, throwing
the two men who were steering it head
first into the drifts at the side. The
horses managed to keep their feet, and
the plow was righted without any dam-
age being done.

Grand Trunk Railway Pacific G. T. R. Pacific.

Messrs. Morse and Wainwright, of
the Grand Trunk railway have returned
to Montreal from their trip to and
from the Pacific coast. In an inter-
view in Montreal, Mr. Morse was ask-
ed, regarding the report that the G. T.
R. Pacific would absorb the Canadian
Northern. He replied: "You can say
that there are no negotiations what-
ever with the Canadian Northern."
He was asked: "What Pacific point
will you strike?"

"As you know, our application names
two, Bute Inlet and Port Simpson and
as far as we could ascertain the grades
through the mountains to either
would be fifty per cent easier than the
present C. P. R. route."

The Car Shortage

Winnipeg Tribune.

It is not from lack of financial
ability that our railway companies
are short in their equipment. Look
at the Northern Pacific railway
running through much the same sort
of country. It has six freight cars
per mile of track operated. If the
C. P. R. had the same equipment it
would have 48,000 freight cars; it
has 27,000. If the C. N. E. had the
same equipment it would have 7,
200 freight cars; it has 1,800. The
Northern Pacific has one locomotive
for every seven miles of track. At
the same rate the C. P. R. would
have 1,100 locomotives, and the C.
N. E. 153. They have 799 and 67
respectively.

If the C. P. R. and C. N. E. were
equipped as well as the N. P. R.
they would have 488 locomotives
and 26,400 freight cars more than
they have. The average car load
is 900 to 1,000 bushels, so that 21,
000 cars would take out twenty
million bushels of wheat in one trip.
Our railways are in as good a
financial position as the Northern
Pacific Canadian Pacific stock is
quoted twenty points above Nor-
thern Pacific Securities. The C. P. R.
annual report states that the company
has on hand \$15,000,000 cash sur-
plus from earnings, and it issued
during the present year another \$50,
000,000 of additional stock. The C.
P. R. has loans guaranteed by the pro-
vince of Manitoba for millions of dol-
lars more than the cash cost. In ad-
dition it has the stock and the cash
and land grants given by the Dominion
and Ontario governments.

Four thousand additional cars and
100 additional locomotives would have
averaged a car shortage here this au-
tumn. They would have cost at such
per car and \$100,000 per locomotive, \$3,
900,000—less than half the cost of the
blockade on the carriers. The C. N. E.
also received more than that amount
in bonds guaranteed by Manitoba over
and above the cost of the capital to
the company, while the C. P. R. has
\$50,000,000 of undistributed cash on hand
and issued \$20,000,000 new stock at
par within the last six months. A year
ago it had \$10,000,000 undistributed cash
surplus on hand.

Mining Stocks

Nelson News: Mining shares con-
tinue to show little activity here and the
general tone of the market is dull and
depressed. Notwithstanding the great
shipments from the Boundary coun-
try, the local market is very weak.
The 1st Dec during the past seven
months, to say nothing of the improved
conditions of the War Eagle and Cen-
tro Star companies, the dividend of the
Cariboo-Camp McKinney or the encour-
agement afforded by the successful man-
age of the marketing of silver ores, no
single stock has shown a marked ad-
vance. As a matter of fact the best
that can be said of the mining indus-
try in the Kootenays is that it is in a state
of transition, and the time has not ar-
rived when the improved conditions
of affairs and the promises held out
by the many mine managers can favor-
ably affect market prices. The im-
mediate future, however, is full of
promises, and a sharp advance may be
reasonably looked for in many shares
that are looking down just now at un-
fairly low quotations. Shrewd invest-
ors have great opportunities at the
present time for picking up blocks of
stock that are reasonably sure to make
a substantial advance within a short
period of time. Reconstruction, and
better and more profitable arrange-
ments have already been carried out
on several properties and the improved
conditions of the mining industry will
call for a much higher quotation of
these shares than at present exists.

FARMS

Near Edmonton, Clover Bar,
Stony Plain, Sturgeon, Bel-
mont, The Fort, Vermilion,
etc., etc.

Town Properties

Main Street and Residential
Lots, Homes with Lots, New
Store with Lot.

House with 6 Lots

One of the finest situations
in Edmonton.

MONEY TO LOAN

Agents for Guelph & Ontario
Investment & Savings Society.

KILLEN & GILBERT.

TEACHER WANTED.

A Catholic teacher wanted for Rose
Edge Catholic public school district,
No. 45. First or second class certi-
ficate. Duties to commence about 7th
January. Apply to

P. T. FLYNN, Sec.,
St. Albert, P.O.
Alberta.

14-19c.

ESTRAY HORSES.

Came to the premises of the under-
signed, two roan mares, one weighing
about 700 lbs., white spot on forehead,
two white hind feet, branded C. E. on
the right shoulder. The other, weight
about 300 lbs. No brand. Owner
please remove property and pay ex-
penses.

HIRAM MERRICK.

Steele Plain.
N. E. 1-4 Sec. 12, Tp. 15, Range 28.
West of the 4th Meridian.

12-17 p.

GRAND OLD TIMERS' BALL.

In Robertson Hall on Jan. 16th, '03.
Tickets can be procured from the fol-
lowing committee: E. Doyle, C. W. Sut-
ter, G. P. Sanderson, Jas. Ross, Thos.
Bourton, H. S. Young, H. Goodridge,
Wm. McKay, W. S. Edmiston, W. G.
Thibouton, St. Geo. Jellett, Donald Ross,
or the Secretary. Contribute—come as you
please.

Tickets \$2.50 per couple.
C. W. SUTTER, T. G. LAUDER,
President. Secretary.

14-22c.

Money to Lend.

A large amount of private funds to lend
on first mortgage on land. Apply to

SHORT & CROSS,
Advocates, Edmonton.

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STEER ESTRAY.

Last winter and also this winter
strayed into my premises a good red
brown steer, ears half frozen, no
brand. Owner is requested to prove
property, pay expenses and remove.

A. HAGER.

Namajoy Ave. Edmonton.

NOTICE.

All guns left for repairs at my shop
and not called for can be obtained from
A. E. Porter, at the Edmonton Auction
Rooms.

5-18p

HORSES FOR SALE.

A car of well broken horses weigh-
ing from 1,000 to 1,200 lbs. will arrive
about Dec. 24th, at our stable, Fraser
Avenue, and will be sold at prices to
suit. Don't fail to see them.

ROSS & PERRY.

11-17.

FOR SALE.

House and lot on 5th street. Good
location. A snap for quick sale. Ap-
ply at Bulletin office.

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TEACHER WANTED.

For Beaver Creek Public School Dis-
trict, No. 372, a lady or gentleman,
holding a Second Class Professional
Certificate; \$45 per month in salary. One
who can play an organ preferred. The
agreement is for one year, commencing
on 1st of January, 1903. Applications,
etc., sent to

W. M. MAITLAND,
Secretary.
Address Star K. O. Alberta, 8-25p.

LOST.

Lost Saturday night between town
and Belgrave's a fine brown collar,
better and more profitable arrange-
ments have already been carried out
on several properties and the improved
conditions of the mining industry will
call for a much higher quotation of
these shares than at present exists.

10-17.

NOTICE.

The Great North West Central Rail-
way Company will supply to the Re-
giment of Canada at its next session
for the passing of an act extending
the time within which it may finish
the construction of its railway.

By order of the board

H. CAMPBELL OSWALD,
Secretary.
Montreal, 13th Nov., 1902. 8-25c.